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TITLE OF INVENTION: COBALT FERRITE BASED MAGNETOSTRICTIVE MATERIALS FOR MAGNETIC STRESS SENSOR AND ACTUATOR APPLICATIONS

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